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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following items for filing in connection with the above-referenced Patent Application:

1. Fee Transmittal;
2. Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (in duplicate);
3. Transmittal of Appeal Brief (in duplicate);
4. Appeal Brief with three appendices (i.e., Appendix A: Claims Appendix; Appendix B: Evidence Appendix (U.S. Patent Appln. Pub. No. US 2003/0004179); Appendix C: Related Proceedings Appendix);
5. Check No. 361507 for \$2,090.00 to cover: \$500.00 filing a brief in support of an appeal fee and \$1,590.00 four-month extension of time fee; and
6. Return receipt postcard.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740, under Docket No. 025444.1132-US01. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

It is not believed that extensions of time fees are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740.

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